



News from the City of Hillsboro

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Thank you for choosing to "Stay Connected" with the latest news and event information from the City of Hillsboro! Whether you live in Hillsboro, work here or simply love to visit, you'll find a wide variety of ways to get involved in making our community stronger.

The exciting developments around Orenco Station are the focus of three upcoming Open House meetings for the public. The first meeting on Wednesday, June 5 is from 6 pm to 8 pm at Sunrise Church (6701 NE Campus Way). The public is invited to learn about what's happening at the Orenco Station Mixed-Use Development and provide input on how new public spaces will fit into the project. See the calendar of events below for more information.



A new era of baseball in Hillsboro begins next week and you're invited to celebrate at Hillsboro Ballpark! The Hillsboro Parks & Recreation Department is hosting a community grand opening at the Ballpark on Thursday, June 13 from 5:30 - 8pm. Take a self-guided tour of the facility and watch the Hillsboro Hops practice. See the calendar of events below for more information.

And did you know...Hillsboro Public Works employees are using recycled gravel from the Hillsboro Ballpark project to rehabilitate city alleyways? Now you know!

Have you seen the second floor of the Hillsboro Main Library?



Since Sunday's grand opening, thousands of library patrons continue to discover the 35,000 additional square feet of space that adds more room for books, an expanded children's area, and more than doubles library seating.

If you have a youngster looking for some summer fun, registration for summer camps is open and sessions are filling up. For more information about classes and camps, visit the [Hillsboro Parks & Recreation web site](#).

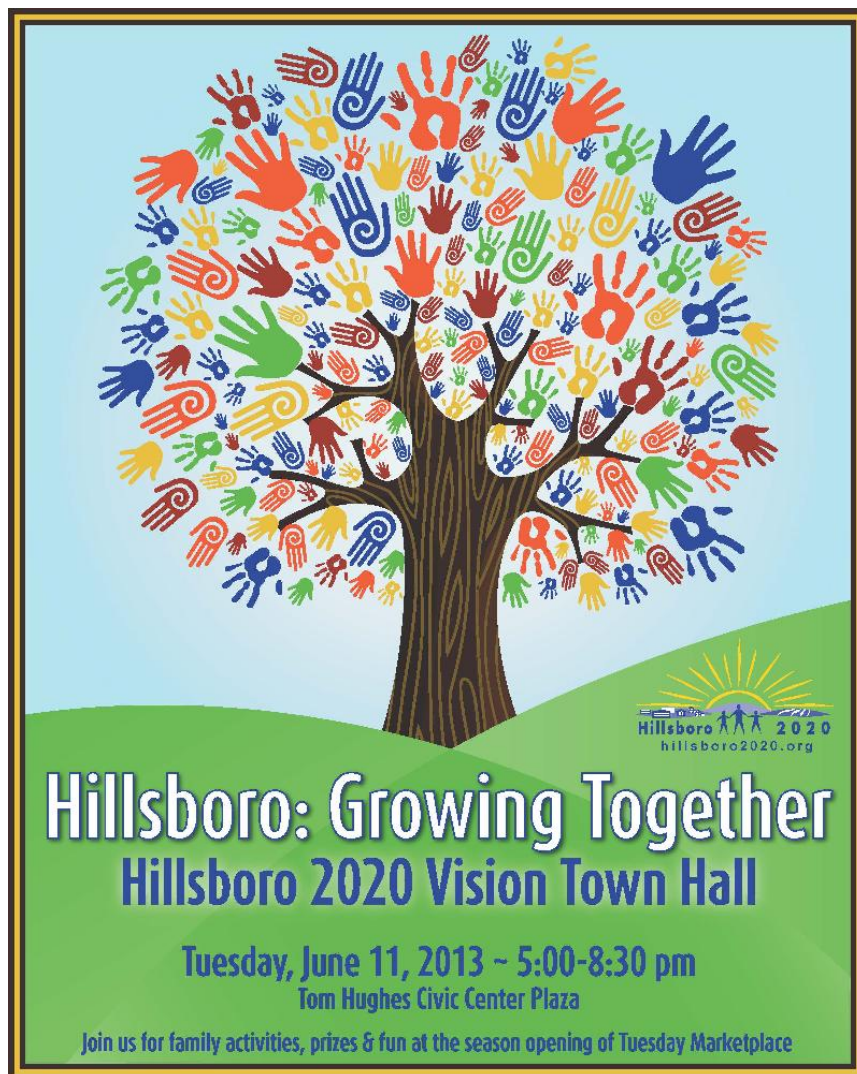
This past week, Hillsboro Mayor Jerry Willey honored all who served and sacrificed for our country at Washington County's Memorial Day event at Veterans Gateway.



Hillsboro Police Department Sgt. Craig Allen and Volunteer Coordinator Susan Serres were both recognized as a Community Mentor of the Year by Portland State University's School of Government and Criminal Justice. Congratulations to both!

Competing against 80 motor officers from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Canada at the North American Motor Officer Association Symposium, HPD Motor Officer David Kangas received first place in several categories: proficiency course, barrel race and best overall rider. Officers Clint Chrz and Daniel Larkins also won individual course competitions.

June 5 (Wednesday) Orenco Station Open House: Vision and Options. Find out what is happening at Orenco Station and provide input on how new public spaces will fit into the Orenco Station Mixed-Use Development. 6 pm - 8 pm. Sonrise Church, 6701 NE Campus Way. For more information visit www.ci.hillsboro.or.us/Planning, or call 503-681-6153.



June 11 (Tuesday) Hillsboro 2020 Vision Town Hall. "Hillsboro: Growing Together" is the theme of this town hall held in conjunction with the season opening of the Tuesday Marketplace. The family-friendly event features a children's planting activity, fun giveaways and a strolling magician. 5 pm - 8:30 pm. Tom Hughes Civic Center Plaza. For more information call 503-681-6219, or visit www.hillsboro2020.org.

June 13 (Thursday) Hillsboro Ballpark Grand Opening. Hosted by the Hillsboro Parks & Recreation Department, this community grand opening of Hillsboro Ballpark includes a ribbon-cutting ceremony, self-guided tours, and refreshments. Attendees can also watch the Hillsboro Hops practice. 5:30 pm - 8 pm. Hillsboro Ballpark: 4460 NW 229th Avenue. Enter at Gate A.

June 15 (Saturday) All-Comers Family 5K at Reedville Creek Park. Skip or walk your way through to the finish at this untimed, supported 5K organized by the Hillsboro Parks & Recreation Department. Stick around after the 5K to take part in a special kids dash, stretching, and group activities to highlight Hillsboro's wonderful parks. Run starts by 9 am, \$5. Find out more and [register here](#).

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